

## Office of the Attorney General State of Texas

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March 31, 1995

Mr. Richard J. Miller Bell County Attorney P.O. Box 1127 Belton, Texas 76513

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Dear Mr. Miller:

You ask on behalf of the Bell County Court-at-Law No. One whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Texas Open Records Act, Government Code chapter 552. We assigned your request ID# 29854.

The Bell County Court-at-Law No. One received a request for certain court records. Specifically, the requestor seeks "a copy of all documents generated for the certification of Anthony Hurst to stand trial as an adult." We note that the judiciary is not subject to the Open Records Act. See Gov't Code 552.003(b). Accordingly, the Open Records Act does not require the court to make the requested information available to the requestor.<sup>1</sup>

If you have questions about this ruling, please contact our office.

Yours very truly,

Loretta R. DeHay

Assistant Attorney General

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Open Government Section

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This office is without authority to issue an open records decision where the governmental body seeking the decision has not received a written request for the information. See Gov't Code § 552.301. Accordingly, we may not address at this time whether the Open Records Act would require the Bell County Attorney to release the requested information.

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Ref.: ID# 29854

Enclosures: Submitted documents

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